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APEX, LLC,	į	
	Opposer,)	
v.)) 1	Opposition No. 91190603
CHEMPORT INCOR	PORATION,)	
	Applicant.	
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ANSWER

COMES NOW the Applicant Chemport Incorporation ("Applicant"), by and through counsel, and responds to the Notice of Opposition filed by Opposer Apex, LLC, by responding to each enumerated paragraph of the said Opposition. Any allegation in the Opposition not specifically admitted herein is denied.

- 1. Applicant lacks sufficient knowledge and information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 1, and therefore denies the same.
- 2. Applicant lacks sufficient knowledge and information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 2, and therefore denies the same.
- 3. Applicant lacks sufficient knowledge and information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 3, and therefore denies the same, although it appears that the statements set out in Paragraph 3 regarding Opposer's marks are supported by information available on the database of the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO).
- 4. Applicant lacks sufficient knowledge and information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 4, and therefore denies the same, although it appears that the statements set out in Paragraph 4 regarding Opposer's marks are supported by information available on the database of the USPTO.
- 5. Applicant lacks sufficient knowledge and information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 5, and therefore denies the same, although it appears that the statements set out in Paragraph 5 regarding Opposer's marks are supported by information available on the database of the USPTO.

- 6. Applicant lacks sufficient knowledge and information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 6, and therefore denies the same.
 - 7. Applicant admits the allegations set forth in Paragraph 7.
 - 8. Applicant admits the allegations set forth in Paragraph 8.
- 9. Applicant repeats and incorporates its denials, admissions, and statements of insufficient knowledge with respect to the foregoing enumerated paragraphs.
 - 10. Applicant denies the allegations in Paragraph 10.
 - 11. Applicant denies the allegations in Paragraph 11.
 - Applicant denies the allegations in Paragraph 12.
 - 13. Applicant denies the allegations in Paragraph 13.
- 14. Applicant repeats and incorporates its denials, admissions, and statements of insufficient knowledge with respect to the foregoing enumerated paragraphs.
 - 15. Applicant denies the allegations in Paragraph 15.

Applicant will assert any affirmative defense or compulsory or permissive counterclaim that may be developed throughout discovery and testimony periods in this proceeding.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully prays that Judgment be entered for Applicant and against Opposer in this proceeding, that the Opposition be dismissed, and that Applicant's mark be allowed to advance to registration on the Principal Register.

Date: 1/21/07

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and complete copy of the foregoing **Answer** has been served on Apex, LLC by depositing said copy in the mail on July 21, 2009 via pre-paid First Class Mail, addressed to:

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